

**In the United States District Court
For the Southern District of Georgia
Waycross Division**

PAUL KEITH,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMMISSIONER TIMOTHY WARD; and
WARDEN ROY ODOM,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO.: 5:22-cv-64

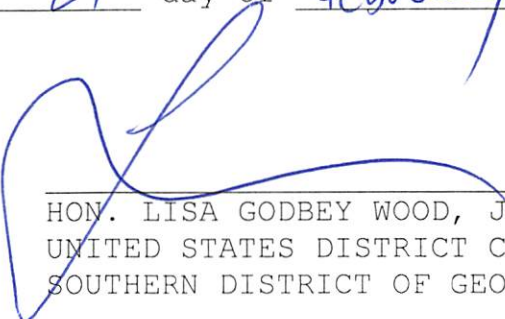
ORDER

After an independent and de novo review of the entire record, the Court concurs with the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation. Dkt. No. 15. Plaintiff did not file Objections to this Report and Recommendation. In fact, another of this Court's mailing was returned as undeliverable, with the notations: "Return to Sender, Refused by Ware State Prison, Released." Dkt. No. 16 at 1; see also Dkt. No. 17 (indicating return of mail as undeliverable because Plaintiff has been released).

Thus, the Court **ADOPTS** the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation as the opinion of the Court, **DISMISSES without prejudice** Plaintiff's Complaint for failure to follow this Court's Orders and Local Rules and failure to prosecute, **DIRECTS**

the Clerk of Court to **CLOSE** this case and enter the appropriate judgment of dismissal, and **DENIES** Plaintiff *in forma pauperis* status on appeal.

SO ORDERED, this 27 day of February, 2023.



HON. LISA GODBEY WOOD, JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA